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HOUSE BILL No. 1172

DIGEST OF HB 1172 (Updated February 27, 2001 10:55 AM - DI 44)

Citations Affected: IC 1-1.

Synopsis: Women's equality day. Requires the Indiana commission for women to designate August 26 each year as Equality Day for Women in Indiana in celebration of the anniversary of the adoption of the Nineteenth Amendment of the Constitution of the United States. Requires the commission to request a proclamation from the governor each year designating Equality Day for Women in Indiana. Requires the commission to provide information and other forms of educational outreach to the public about the Women's Suffrage Movement.

Effective: Upon passage.

**Lawson L, Liggett, Scholer, Pond,
Goeglein, Crosby, Klinker, Leuck,
Welch, Summers, Dickinson,
Budak, Becker, Richardson,
Duncan**

January 9, 2001, read first time and referred to Committee on Public Policy, Ethics and Veterans Affairs.
February 22, 2001, amended, reported — Do Pass.
February 27, 2001, read second time, amended, ordered engrossed.

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Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning general provisions.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 1-1-15 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS
2 A **NEW** CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON
3 PASSAGE]:

4 **Chapter 15. Equality Day for Women**

5 **Sec. 1. The Indiana commission for women shall each year**
6 **designate August 26 as Equality Day for Women in Indiana in**
7 **celebration of the anniversary of the adoption of the Nineteenth**
8 **Amendment of the Constitution of the United States giving women**
9 **the right to vote. The commission shall do the following:**

10 **(1) Request a proclamation from the governor each year**
11 **designating August 26 as Equality Day for Women in**
12 **Indiana.**

13 **(2) Provide information and other forms of educational**
14 **outreach to the public about the Women's Suffrage**
15 **Movement.**

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COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Policy, Ethics and Veterans Affairs, to which was referred House Bill 1172, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 1, line 5, delete "The governor shall issue a proclamation each year" and insert:

"The Indiana commission for women shall each year designate August 26 as Equality Day for Women in Indiana. The commission shall do the following:

(1) Request a proclamation from the governor each year designating August 26 as Equality Day for Women in Indiana.

(2) Provide information and other forms of educational outreach to the public about the Women's Suffrage Movement."

Page 1, delete lines 6 through 10.

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to HB 1172 as introduced.)

KUZMAN, Chair

Committee Vote: yeas 13, nays 0.

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HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that House Bill 1172 be amended to read as follows:

Page 1, line 5, delete "The governor shall issue a proclamation each year" and insert:

"The Indiana commission for women shall each year designate August 26 as Equality Day for Women in Indiana in celebration of the anniversary of the adoption of the Nineteenth Amendment of the Constitution of the United States giving women the right to vote. The commission shall do the following:

(1) Request a proclamation from the governor each year designating August 26 as Equality Day for Women in Indiana.

(2) Provide information and other forms of educational outreach to the public about the Women's Suffrage Movement."

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